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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Docket No.  
F-1177069686/60  
11/12/01**To the Commissioner of Patents:**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Toshiyuki ISHINO

corresponding to Japanese application 2000-357240, filed

November 24, 2000,

entitled: INFORMATION DISTRIBUTING SYSTEM AND INFORMATION DISTRIBUTING METHOD

Enclosed are:

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| X | 17 pages of specification.   |
| X | 4 sheets of formal drawings.   |
| X | a newly-executed declaration of the inventor.  |
|   | a copy of an executed declaration of the inventor from prior application Serial No. , filed .  |
|   | incorporation by reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied as indicated in the preceding box, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. |
| X | an assignment of the invention to NEC Corporation, including assignment cover sheet.   |
| X | Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449.   |
| X | copies of the Information Disclosure Statement citations.  |
| X | Abstract.  |
| X | return receipt postcard (MPEP 503), specifically itemized.   |
|   | a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.   |
|   | applicant claim small entity status.   |
| X | a certified copy of the Japanese Priority Document.  |
| X | other: Application Data Sheet.   |

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